

## C. F. & I. RULES WITH IRON HAND IN "KINGDOM OF JEFF FARR," SAYS PROF. BREWSTER

### Had Linderfelt Been Suspended There Would Have Been No Ludlow, He Declares

### Welborn Clashes With Chairman Walsh Over Author of "Facts About Strike": Corporation Head Charges Industrial Unrest in Colorado to "Lawless Element" Brought Into State by United Mine Workers

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Constitutional guarantees were wiped out by Adjutant General Chase as head of the Colorado National guards, miners were robbed by the militia, that body was recruited with "scoundrels," and the right of search was exercised by the soldiers, while the civil courts were open, was the trend of the testimony of Prof. James H. Brewster of the University of Colorado, attorney for the United Mine Workers before the congressional committee, testifying before the federal commission on industrial relations today.

Professor Brewster had been chairman of the State Federation of Labor committee that investigated the strike in December, 1912, on the authorization of Governor Ammons.

He declared that Lieut. K. E. (Monte) Linderfelt, in charge of the machine gun at the Ludlow battle, was a "brute, unfit to associate with anybody," and that, because of his brutality, the committee had asked that he be suspended on January 20, 1914.

"Had he been suspended then," he declared, "Ludlow would never have happened."

He asserted Linderfelt had trained the gun on the Ludlow colony during a search by the militia for weapons, and, putting the gun, declared he could kill the whole colony.

At that time Linderfelt was making threats against Louis Tikas, who he said would be executed, bringing a rifle over his head, he said.

Chase Thinks He's a Soldier.

"Adjutant General John Chase," he said, "thinks he is a soldier, thinks there is war and thinks that way because he cannot help it. He honestly believes he is a soldier."

Chase had enlarged the military district under the Meyer decision, which he declared was a blot on the jurisprudence of Colorado, until it included the whole state anywhere, at any time without civil procedure, he continued.

Louis Tikas, he declared, was a factor for peace in the Ludlow colony. He was a graduate of the University of Athens. He related the verdict of the court martial, at which Linderfelt was exonerated for the killing of a miner.

"I am not attempting to justify the events that followed Ludlow," he said, "but if those Greeks had been Americans they would have risen long before."

Advised Men to Stick to Union.

He characterized the arrest of "Mother" Jones by the militia as one of the greatest outrages on American jurisprudence.

"The expression was given that she was going to the strike colony to advise the men to stick to the union," he declared. "I, too, went to the colony and advised the men to stick to the union as their only means of release from serfdom. Afterward, she was charged with making profane and vulgar speeches. An exhibit of such speech made at the Trinidad strike is in the record of the congressional investigation. If anyone can characterize that speech I should like to hear it."

He related the arrest of a woman who struck a militiaman because he loved her during a parade at Trinidad. It was necessary to incarcerate children with her that they be fed. He declared merchants of Huerfano and Animas counties had been intimidated by the "company" with loss of financial and social position.

How Juries Are "Fixed."

A glance of an attorney's eye was sufficient to "fix" a Mexican jury that had acquitted cases, he declared, and narrated the case of a mine guard jury sheriff tried by a jury of seven eight brother deputies in Huerfano county and exonerated for breaking a miner's jaw. This was in the "Kingdom of Jeff Farr," he said, and the guard deputy sheriff who walked in his left hand in his coat pocket a revolver was said to have been aided by the miner, a boy of 17, to himself had seen a youth whose head had been cut open by Linderfelt.

Quoted Northcutt and McHendrie.

He read excerpts from a campaign speech of Judge Northcutt, now the attorney for the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, and Judge McHendrie declared that the nomination of office southern Colorado had been made on a basis of being "satisfactory to company."

Gaches were made before

Northcutt became allied with the Colorado Fuel and Iron company and before McHendrie had been elected district judge. The latter's speech referred to meetings in Denver with an attorney for the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

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FORBES-ROBERTSON'S COMPANY MAY HAVE STOCK SEASON HERE

Manager Percy Burton, in Love With Region, Has Plans for Summer in C. S.

Colorado Springs may have as one of its stock companies next summer the Forbes-Robertson company, which played here last week, with Miss Laura Cowie as the star. Percy Burton, general manager for the famous English actor, has been negotiating with the Opera house with this object in view and in all probability will bring the company back to play here from June to September.

Mr. Burton who has been ill with bronchitis during the last two weeks, left yesterday for Los Angeles, where he will join the Forbes-Robertson. He expects to spend a few days resting at Coronado Beach the last of the week.

Charles Tutt and his brother, who own the Opera house, are enthusiastic over the plan and have agreed to cooperate with Mr. Burton in his attempt to induce the company to return to this city next summer. Before leaving Colorado Springs Mr. Burton said:

"My entire company was so delighted with its visit here and the beautiful surroundings of the place, together with the inspiring air and English atmosphere, that I have little doubt they would most of them welcome the opportunity of spending a holiday in Colorado Springs."

"Only yesterday I had a letter from our charming and talented leading lady, Miss Laura Cowie, saying, 'What a shame to be ill in such a beautiful place in that wonderful air.' And, of course, it will be my main object to endeavor to bring Miss Cowie back at the head of the company with which she has won golden encomiums as Forbes-Robertson's last leading lady in his triumphant farewell from east to west. Every critic of note in each city visited has prophesied for her an early stardom, and Colorado Springs could indeed count itself fortunate if this should be the start of her stellar career."

"Plays, of course, would be a very important item and I should like to revive 'The Passing of the Third Floor Back' with perhaps Mr. Ian Robertson, Sir Forbes-Robertson's little role with conspicuous success in many parts of the country including Chicago. Another play I would like to present is Bernard Shaw's 'Arms and the Man,' which I think would be very appropriate at the present martial time, though the author's common sense does not always come to terms."

"That is all I think I can say for the present, save that I have the option on more than one recent New York and London success, but everything is at present in nubibus and on the knees of the gods."

America Wholly Unprepared for War, Say Wotherspoon and Wood



MAJOR GENERAL WILLIAM W. WOTHERSPOON.

MAJOR GENERAL LEONARD WOOD

That the United States is wholly unprepared for war and in fact has not more than a tenth the number of soldiers needed for the regular army in case of war, is the contention of Major General Leonard A. Wood, former chief of the general staff and now commander of the department on the east and W. A. Wotherspoon, present chief of the general staff. General Wood gave a foreign enemy could land troops in the United States somewhere between Boston and the Chesapeake Bay if the navy would not hold them off. General Wood's statement was made in an interview while the position of general present chief of the general staff. General Wood gave a foreign enemy could land troops in the United States somewhere between Boston and the Chesapeake Bay if the navy would not hold them off. General Wood's statement was made in an interview while the position of general present chief of the general staff.

## PREPAREDNESS OF U.S. FOR WAR TO BE PROBED

### Machinery Set in Motion in Congress for National Defense; President Wilson Approves Plan for Regular Inquiry, But Opposes Gardner's Proposition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Preparedness of the United States for war seems destined for investigation in Congress. Several bills and resolutions bearing on the subject were introduced today and an inquiry by congressional committees is regarded at the capital as certain although President Wilson told Representative Gardner during the day that he opposed the latter's plan for an investigation by a national security commission. The president expressed the opinion that this would be an unusual way of handling a question which might create very unfavorable international impressions.

Senator Lodge introduced in the senate a resolution similar to the Gardner measure pending in the house and asked that it lie on the table until tomorrow. It would provide for a national security commission, to be composed of three members of the senate, three members of the house and three citizens to be appointed by the president.

President Wilson let it be known after his conference with Representative Gardner that he was entirely in favor of the fullest inquiry into military conditions by regular committees of the house and senate.

Machinery Set in Motion.

In line with this attitude, Senator James Hamilton Lewis, Democrat whip of the senate introduced a resolution which would direct an exhaustive inquiry by the military and naval committees of the senate into the expenditures of millions of dollars appropriated in the past for national defense.

Another military measure, submitted by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the military affairs committee, proposed the creation of a council of national defense to consist of the secretary of state as president, the secretaries of war and navy, the chairman of appropriations, military, naval and foreign relations committees of the senate and house, and an officer of the navy and head of the army and navy war colleges. Such a board would be a physical investigation of conditions of national defense and make recommendations for improvement.

Senator Hitchcock introduced in the senate without a resolution calling upon the secretary of commerce for information as to the extent of exportation of arms and munitions of war from the United States to belligerent foreign nations or to Canada, existing contracts in this country for exportation of such materials and the normal condition of exports of such materials in time of peace. Later Senator Hitchcock introduced a bill which would prohibit the sale of munitions of war or materials for use in such munitions during existence of war except upon proof that they were not to be used against any country with which the United States was at peace.

Congress Reconvenes.

Members had reunions in the senate and house and after the introduction of bills and resolutions and passage of formal measures incident to the opening of a new session, both houses adjourned to await the delivery tomorrow of the president's annual message.

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BEET GROWERS DEMAND SHARE OF THE PROFITS

Sugar Company Says Petition Will Be Considered at Meeting in Denver Next Month

DENVER, Dec. 7.—The Interstate Beet Growers association, representing 700 sugar beet growers in Montana, Colorado, Wyoming and Nebraska, met at its first convention here today. A conference with officials of the Great Western Sugar company resulted in the presentation to the sugar company of demands for a share in the profits of the company in regard to the flat rate per ton for sugar beets. The plan outlined provided for two yearly payments one when the contract for the beets was let and another payment based on the prices of sugar at the time of delivery.

The company announced the demands would be presented to the board of directors at its meeting here next month.

Thomas R. Robertson, representing the department of commerce, was present at the banquet of both parties. He asserted an investigation of the company's books showed that the company's profits represented 25 per cent on its investment.

30,000 PEOPLE STARVE TO DEATH IN ALBANIA AND PALESTINE, REPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. Dire need for food among the people of Albania and Palestine was reported by Ambassador Morgenthau to the state department today. In these countries, the report said, more than 300,000 people are facing famine and 30,000 already have died of starvation.

Mr. Morgenthau's dispatch was sent immediately to the Red Cross society, which tonight issued an appeal for public subscriptions to finance relief measures.

## GERMANS RENEW SIEGE IN WEST AFTER DEFEAT OF RUSSIANS IN POLAND

### British Warships Again Bombard Enemy's Positions on the Coast of Belgium

### Capture of Lodz Was Remarkable Achievement for Kaiser's Army. Which a Few Days Ago Had to Cut Its Way Out of Russian Trap; Petrograd Says Germans Lost 100,000 in Battle

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Gent Dunkerke, a village in West Flanders a little more than two miles to the west of Nieuport, has been bombarded by the Germans, which announcement in the latest official communication issued by the French war office would seem to indicate a renewal of the efforts of the invading forces to reach the channel ports.

Simultaneously there has been heavy firing along the Belgian coast from the warships of the allies, which are again bombarding the German positions and possibly may be attempting to check the supposed advance in the neighborhood of Nieuport.

The French also report advances by the allies in the department of Somme and the capture of the villages of Vernelles, between Bethune and Lens. Unofficial dispatches say the Germans have been obliged to utilize their light guns in the place of heavy artillery because of the flooded condition of the country.

The allies are now virtually in possession of the left bank of the Yser canal and in northern France particularly in the neighborhood of La Bassée, where the Germans hold a very strong position, they are beginning with a heavy cannonade to feel their way eastward.

GERMANS KEEP BEST MEN IN WEST TO STRIKE ALLIES

The same process is being followed along the whole front. The French official communication speaks of the superiority of our offensive and the marked advantage of the French artillery over that of the Germans.

It is believed that so long as the Germans are compelled to keep up the strength of their army in the east, they will be unable to assume the offensive in the west to any marked degree. There is a report however that the Germans have kept the pick of their Java army in the Alsace valley where at an opportune moment, they can hurl it against the French lines and make another effort to get through to Paris.

CAPTURE OF LODZ WAS REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT

In the eastern campaign the occupation of Lodz by the Germans is considered a remarkable achievement in view of the manner in which the German lines took a short time ago were threatened by the Poles and is an important step in their proposed movement against Warsaw, the Polish capital.

Yet it was all a bit of a sideshow to organize, take the offensive and defeat the Russians defending Lodz.

This was made possible by the network of strategic railways on the German side of the frontier, over which reinforcements could be sent where they were most needed.

The Russian, on the other hand, were unable to send fresh men to strengthen their center to meet the German wedge, and were compelled to fall back.

There will be no doubt that a more fighting before the campaign in this district is concluded. It is now only after a land-to-land fighting in the suburbs of the city and the whole Russian line, from north to south is now straightened out and will consist of a foot of ground with it in order.

KING PETER IS LEADING HIS SERVIAN TROOPS

King Peter of Servia has been in command for many months as assumed command of the Servian army and, according to a Nish report, has checked the advance of the Austrians inflicting heavy losses on them. The Austrian reply to this is that the occupation of Belgrade necessitates the regrouping of our troops.

The political news of the day was the authoritative announcement from Sofia that it was not considered possible anything would intervene to make it necessary for Bulgaria to change her policy of strict neutrality until next spring.

The Austrian war office describes the action in Poland as not yet decisive although the Russians have been forced to retreat. Likewise in west Galicia and the Carpathians, the series of engagements continues without definite result.

Having tied confusion in parliament the Italian government maintains its neutrality. It is reported that eight battalions of troops to reinforce the troops in Libya and to be ready for any attack on Tripoli.

The British Gazette (Petrograd) estimates that Germany has lost 150,000 men in the fighting during the last month around Lodz.

That an effort is being made to bring about a resumption of normal conditions in Paris is indicated by a fact that President Poincaré will return to the capital from Bordeaux to preside at the cabinet meeting next Friday and that the Paris bureau is reopened after a period of inactivity extending from September 5. Pope Benedict is endeavoring to effect a truce between the belligerents during the Christmas holidays.

Waves 25 Feet Above Record

Waves broke more than 25 feet over the high tide line at Rocky beach, causing heavy damage to bungalows, garages and the board walk. At Seaside, eight bungalows were carried away. Two hotels at Seaside were damaged. The hotel at Long beach was inundated and partly washed away. The wind was blowing 30 miles an hour tonight.

Over on the Jersey side heavy rain and high wind continued tonight. At Sandhook enormous seas were breaking over the north and east shores. Outside the hook the Russian liner Drinsk from New Castle via Halifax lay anchored. The steamer St. Louis from Savannah was 15 miles off the Scotland lightship and had suffered severe damage and smashed windows. The Francisco of the Wilson line and several other vessels also lay out on the rollers of the Atlantic waiting for a moderation of the gale before daring to try to reach port.

For hours this afternoon commuters between New York and New Jersey had to travel through the Hudson river to try to reach port.

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# December Clearance Sale

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EVERY GARMENT GOES IN THIS SALE

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if Purchase  
Is Not  
Satisfactory

### ATLANTIC COAST IN GRIP OF TERRIFIC NORTHEAST STORM

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tubes, as the ferris could not make their trip.

Wire communication between New York and Pennsylvania points was badly hampered tonight, the worst conditions existing between New York and Pittsburgh. Allentown, Pa., was reported almost isolated, connections with Connecticut points also were crippled.

Philadelphia Storm Swept.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The northeast storm which has been blowing along the Atlantic coast since last Saturday continued tonight with unabated fury. In this city nearly three and a half inches of rain had fallen at midnight, while the reports from Atlantic City, Ocean City, Wildwood, Cape May, Rehoboth and outside points told of heavy damage by the wind and tide to ocean front property.

Several fashionable suburban sections of this city were thrown into darkness tonight by the breaching of electric light wires. Ocean City, N. J., has been cut off from train and trolley communication. The railroads leading to seashore points were kept busy repairing washed out railbeds. Telephone and telegraph service to all points was badly crippled.

Shipping from this port was practically at a standstill.

Resorts Suffer Heavily

REHOBOTH, Del., Dec. 7.—The northeast storm which raged from Saturday night until tonight almost destroyed this seashore resort. The board walk was carried away from the end of the beach to the other together with all pavilions. Surf avenue, a thoroughfare that paralleled the beach, was a thing of the past. It was cut away by mountainous waves that swept over piling built to protect it. The electric light and water plants were wrecked and several cottages were swept to sea. There were no casualties, but the damage is estimated at \$175,000.

Double Rescue Effected.

POINT JUDITH, R. I., Dec. 7.—A double rescue was effected in a 72-mile northeast gale today when the crew of the Point Judith life-saving station who had snatched two shipwrecked men from death on the Point Judith breakwater were in turn rescued by the torpedo boat destroyer Morris.

In trying to make the harbor of refuge inside of the breakwater a little over half brought up on the end of the wall and quickly went to pieces. After a terrific struggle the surf boat of the life savers reached the men and got them aboard. Exhausted by their efforts the crew was unable to force the boat through the heavy seas to shore and all were saved by the destroyer Morris which by skillful seamanship dropped alongside the helpless surf boat.

Jersey Coast Pounded Hard

STARBUCK, N. J., Dec. 7.—Driven by a 60-mile gale from the northeast which had blown steadily for nearly 6 hours the waters of the Atlantic tonight were monstrous along the Jersey coast. At Starbuck at 11 a. m. today the water broke over the bulkheads erected for protection after the storm of last Christmas.

Three cottages located on the beach had been washed away early tonight and residents of all others had moved out. It was feared that other houses might go at the next tide. The building of the Seabright Beach Club, erected last year at a cost of about \$30,000, was undermined and was expected to collapse. The damage here thus far is estimated at \$70,000. Life savers were keeping a careful watch, along the coast.

Worst Storm in Years.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 7.—The worst wind and gale storm that Connecticut has experienced since 1907 today almost paralyzed the telegraph and telephone communication throughout the state. Some localities were completely cut off and others were reached with difficulty. It will be five days before normal conditions will be restored, the telephone company estimates.

All shipping is at a standstill. Considerable damage is reported to summer cottages along the shore by unusually high seas.

Gale Abates in South.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 7.—The heaviest storm that has swept the Virginia coast in recent years was abating tonight, leaving beaches strewn with debris. Summer resorts suffered heavy damage. At Ocean View a large part of the bulkhead was swept away.

CARRANZA GAVE WILSON 24 HOURS TO GET OUT

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 7.—Speaking at a reception to Governor-elect Spaulding tonight, Senator William A. Smith of Michigan declared that when the American troops evacuated Vera Cruz the day before General Carranza had given President Wilson 24 hours to get out. He characterized the removal of the American forces as "weak yielding to the demands of Carranza." He added that United States forces left with conditions much worse than when they first occupied the Mexican port.

### SEN. ROBINSON URGES PROBE OF GRAFT IN TROOP WITHDRAWAL

Would Investigate Report of  
Money Being Paid for  
Vera Cruz Evacuation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—An effort by Senator Robinson of Arkansas today to launch an investigation of a published report, that the Carranza government in Mexico had appropriated \$25,000 to obtain the influence of two United States senators in bringing about the early withdrawal of American troops then at Vera Cruz, precipitated brief discussion in the senate but resulted in no action. Senators Stone, Gallagher, Peppers and Smoot urged that the dignity of the senate should be lowered by its adoption and on objections of Senator Smoot the resolution went over for the day. As drawn the resolution proposed an investigation by a special committee of five senators, empowered to travel in foreign countries if necessary. Senator Robinson said he had talked it over with several senators and decided to change the foreign relations committee with the task. During the debate he agreed to the substitution of the lobby probe committee, and the resolution was in this shape when Senator Smoot objected to further consideration, saying he hoped it would not be sent to any committee.

Bryan Points Out Contradictions. When the report was brought to the attention of Senator Bryan, he said it contradicted itself by giving the impression that senators had been paid and then indicating that the entry on the Carranza books did not specify the use which was made of the money.

Incidentally, it was said by high officials that President Wilson had never even discussed the evacuation of Vera Cruz with any members of the senate.

Rafael Zubaran Capmany, Washington representative of Carranza, was mentioned in the story as having received the money to influence senators, he said the following statement:

"The story is so ridiculous as to merit serious consideration. It merely shows to what lengths the Villalistas will go to manufacture fabrications that they believe may be of assistance to them in this country."

### TWO MORE WOUNDED ON MEXICAN BORDER

Citizens Ignore Request for  
Suggestions and Appeal  
Again for Aid

NOVO, Ariz., Dec. 7.—Two prospects for protection from the Mexican frontier which has killed and wounded 49 persons on the American side here during the siege of Naco. Soldiers there were residents of Naco and were a regiment from the military command for suggestions for better protection and indication that the state department would take action.

The day of hope from the military source, however, was extinguished at a meeting tonight called to formulate a reply. The citizens voted to ignore the request for suggestions and protect the methods because the military request said criticism of the administration or hostile methods were not desired. Instead the meeting decided to renew the appeal to the state department for action.

Two more soldiers of the border patrol were hit by the Mexican stray fire late last night and tonight making a total of 17 of whom were American soldiers. The two are Sergeant Charles H. Smart, shot in the foot last night, and Private Patterson of the machine gun platoon, shot in the leg tonight. Both are of the Tenth United States Cavalry.

For two months the fire from the siege in which Mayorena's Villa troops are attacking the entrenched Carranza forces in Naco under General Hill, has caused the citizens to appeal to the state and national governments for protection. Governor George Hunt has made two requests and last night a citizen's committee appealed to Arizona's two United States Senators, Henry R. Ashurst and Marcus A. Smith, and Senator Fall of New Mexico and Smith of Michigan for legislation closing the border ports.

Senator Ashurst replied today saying he followed the requested action would be taken.

The request for suggestions came from Colonel Guilfoyle of the Ninth United States Cavalry commanding the border patrol.

### SUPREME COURT SUSTAINS THE PLEA OF MAY B. OLES

DENVER, Dec. 7.—The state supreme court today sustained the petition of May B. Oles asking that the distribution of \$30,000 of the late Andrew J. Mackey estate be postponed until she had received the one-third to which she claims the right.

The claim is made under a contract between Mackey and her father that Mackey should rear the girl as his own daughter and provide for her with one-third his estate. In sustaining the petition the supreme court declared there is no prima facie evidence that the plaintiff is entitled to the part of the estate claimed.

### PORTO RICO ASKS LARGER VOICE IN ISLAND AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Governor Yager of Porto Rico today urged President Wilson to support at this session of congress the bill giving Porto Rico a larger voice in their government, including the election of their senators. The president said he would be glad to get action on the bill if it did not interfere with the administration's legislative program.

### PREPARATION OF U.S. FOR WAR IS TO BE PROBED

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While members discussed informally the legislative program for the final session of the sixty-third congress which will end March 4, next, no definite plans were made for party conferences. There will not be considered until the president has been heard from. The message will be delivered personally by President Wilson before a joint session in the chamber of the house at 12:30 o'clock, a joint resolution arranging for the session having been adopted before adjournment today.

This evening Senator Kern and Representative Underwood, the majority floor leader, conferred with the president at the White House. Mr. Wilson sent for them late in the day and met them separately, reading to them the message which he will deliver tomorrow and discussing the legislation which he desires should be considered in addition to the appropriation measures, which necessarily will take up much time of the short session.

Underwood Approves Program

"There is nothing which the president has in mind," said Representative Underwood after leaving the White House, "with which I am not in accord and I see no reason why the program of legislation which he will suggest should not be carried out before adjournment. If there is one thing that every Democratic member of the house and I believe it applies to the senate as well—has his mind set against, it is an extra session next year. I do not believe there will be any."

Discussing the legislative program, Mr. Underwood declared that they surely would vote on the House resolution for submission to the states of a constitutional amendment for national prohibition. "This has not been included in the projected plans of legislation that have been discussed since administration leaders returned to Washington."

"There will be a vote on the prohibition constitutional amendment before adjournment," he declared, "and eventually a rule to pave the way for a vote on it will be brought out in the house."

### WARSHIP AGROUND WAS THE KANSAS

Caught in Terrific Gale and  
Forced to Anchor  
Near the Shore

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The warship which was believed to be in distress off Ocean City, Md., undoubtedly was the United States battleship Kansas.

Reports received at the Philadelphia navy yard tonight from Captain Bryan, commander of the Kansas, which is lying inside the Delaware breakwater, stated that he had been obliged to anchor off Ocean City yesterday to protect his vessel from the storm. No other vessel was in that vicinity so far as he knew.

The ship's propellers were being lifted out of the water by the heavy seas, Captain Bryan stated and were in danger of breaking or throwing the engines out of line. He reported that the Kansas was unharmed except for slight damage to several lifeboats and the superstructure.

The Kansas, which is returning from a six-months' cruise in Mexican waters, was in the thick of the storm all the way up the coast and when it became necessary to anchor the vessel five miles below Ocean City, life savers and observers from the shore believed the vessel had gone aground. Because of the thick fog, the ship was only dimly visible. Captain Bryan said that several times during the night he had endeavored to exchange torch signals with the life-saving crew, but that it was impossible to do so.

The Kansas is a member of the fourth division of the Atlantic fleet and carries a crew of 800 officers and men. Captain Bryan reported tonight that he would remain at anchor inside the Delaware breakwater until the weather moderated, when the vessel will sail for the Philadelphia navy yard.

### INHERITANCE TAX CAN'T BE COLLECTED ON STOCK OF FOREIGN CONCERNS

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Inheritance tax cannot be collected on stock of foreign corporations under a decision of the state supreme court today, in the case of the city and county of Denver versus the estate of Charles M. Hobbs. A part of the estate consists of stock in foreign corporations. The state inheritance tax department sought to collect on this part of the estate. The court held that the stock merely represented the property which is located and taxed in other states and collection of inheritance tax in Colorado would be double taxation.

### BALTIMORE JAMES "SELF-DENIAL" DAY

BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—The city council in joint session today unanimously passed a joint resolution designating Tuesday, December 15, as "self-denial day." Those who can afford to do so are asked to practice self-denial on that day and contribute the money thus saved to contribute to the fund for the benefit of the city's poor. Mayor J. F. Eaton afterward appointed a committee to solicit contributions to the fund from all city employees to give more than \$2 a day.

### Kaufmann's Sale of 3.98 Waists at 2.50

200 waists a special purchase just received by express from our New York representative. Silk crepe de chine, allover lace and chiffon waists, in four distinct models for winter wear. New collar effects, ball buttons; some ribbon trimmed. All the newest season's colors, black and white. Each waist in a neat gift box. Well worth 3.98, special at 2.50



### Sale of Winter Coats

Winter coats for women, misses, children and infants included in this special sale. Stunning garments taken from our regular stock. Navy, black, brown, gray and fancy mixture coats in boucles, astrakans, corduroys, plushes, velvets, chinchillas and novelty fabrics. During this sale as follows:

2.00 coats at.....	1.40
2.50 coats at.....	1.75
3.50 coats at.....	2.45
5.00 coats at.....	3.50
8.50 coats at.....	5.85
10.00 coats at.....	7.00
15.00 coats at.....	10.50
17.50 coats at.....	12.25
25.00 coats at.....	17.50
32.50 coats at.....	22.75
37.50 coats at.....	26.25

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Our entire stock of cloakings, selling regular up to \$5—novelty weaves and chinchillas, 56 and 58 inches wide, to close out, yard..... 1.95

30c TOWELS, 4 FOR \$1  
Fancy bordered Turkish towels, full 22x44 inches Heavy weight, in red, blue and all white, 38c grade..... 4 for \$1

50c HANDKERCHIEFS, 3 FOR \$1  
Ladies' all linen, hand embroidered, initialed and embroidered linen handkerchiefs, 1/4 to 1-inch hem 50c values..... 3 for \$1

### Engineman Is Not the Plutocrat of Trades Unionism

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The lot of the railroad engineman was pictured as one of slow promotion arduous labor long hours and a rate of pay in the freight service far below that of the bricklayer, the plasterer and other employees in industrial service by principals engaged in the celebration of the wage demands made by 65,000 enginemen on the 34 western railroads embodying them today.

William S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen was one of the witnesses who stood all day and all night in the cold which was devoted to direct examination by Albert Phillips, representing the non-union James M. Spearman attorney for railroads at the end of his day had opportunity to cross-examine briefly.

The first questions indicated an attack on the value of the compensation schedule introduced by Carter to show that locomotive crews on freight trains, and especially the firemen are paid less than other industrial workers.

### Pangs of Hunger Only Imaginary; Can Starve to Death Without Pain

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Hunger, even to the point of death by starvation, causes little pain other than psychic pain, according to Dr. A. D. Carlson of the University of Chicago, who today related the conclusions he drew from five days of voluntary fasting, to the members of the National Academy of Sciences.

The fasting period and other experiments he said, have caused the conclusions:

"That hunger is caused by the contraction of the stomach muscles close to the esophagus."  
 "That these contractions can be reduced by psychic means."  
 "That tonic and bitter ordinarily given to increase the appetite have no effect of the stomach, but tend to decrease rather than increase, the appetite."  
 "That liquor and tobacco decrease the appetite."  
 "The pain caused by starvation is almost purely imaginary," said Dr. Carlson. "If one was able to adjust his mind to conditions to forget that one was slowly starving to death, death would be almost without pain. We found there was no actual pain after the third day."

### ALI RED COUNTELFETTERS ARE ARRESTED IN DENVER

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Two alleged counterfettlers, Robert S. Lufbery and George W. Dubois, were taken into custody by the police tonight following the discovery by federal officers at the home of Lufbery of a plant which, it is alleged, was used in putting gold faces on 50-cent pieces and making them appear like half eagles. It also is charged that tools were found which were used in gold-facing 5-cent pieces to make them appear like 25-cent pieces.

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### RUSSO-GERMAN RAIL LINE IS 300 MILES LONG

LONDON, Dec. 5 (Tuesday).—A Petrograd dispatch to the Morning Post says:

"While the situation around Lodz is not yet clear it appears that both sides are establishing themselves in trenches which is not difficult, as the frost has been broken and the rainy weather set in."

The great numbers of reinforcements which the Germans have brought up from the western front has resulted in continuous fighting on the eastern front. The battle line from East Prussia to Cracow is 100 miles long. Eleven German army corps are said to be around Lodz.

Everywhere the situation is satisfactory to the Russians. The bulk of the Russian troops is merely to hold this line. Meanwhile, on other sections of the front mainly in East Prussia and at Cracow, the Russians are pushing forward vigorously.

In East Prussia the most important feature is the siege of the fortress of Lutzen, which the Russians left on taken on their early days in East Prussia, thereby enabling the German later to turn the tables on the invaders.

Advancing steadily while the movement into Hungary progresses at a satisfactory rate.

### HOLDERS OF FIRST WATER DEFENSES CAN IRRIGATE AT ANY TIME OF YEAR

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Holders of first water decrees are entitled to water for irrigation at any time of the year, the court held. This is the substance of a decision by the state supreme court today in the case of Charles W. Comstock state engineer versus the Larimer Weld Reservoir company.

About five years ago the company brought suit against Comstock asking holders of first decrees asking the court to establish an irrigation schedule which arrangement reserved compromise could all their reservoirs between October 1 and April 15. Lower court created such a season and the dates from October 15 to April.

The supreme court reversed the finding of the lower court on the ground that holders of first decrees are still to water whenever they need it.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Because suit pending in the supreme court test the power of the president to play the national guard outside the United States is so amiable in character as to "disturb it of a real litigation quality," the department of justice asked the supreme court to decide. The suit is a friendly suit brought by Ohio state guard.

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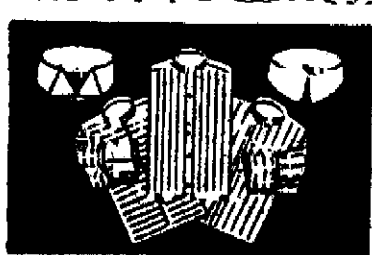
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## WAR IS MAKING THE U.S. ANTIIMPERIALIST NATION

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—The European war has done much to make us a nation of anti-imperialists, said Moorehead Storey, president of the Anti-imperialist league, at its sixteenth annual meeting today. He urged complete freedom for the Philippines and commended the present administration of the islands.

Manuel I. Quezon, commissioner on the Philippines, said that the Philippines bill, while not altogether satisfactory to the people of the islands, was a distinct step forward and should be enacted.

## TAX DELINQUENTS TO BE GIVEN CHANCE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Those who are unable to obtain the new war tax stamps before January 1 would be relieved of penalties of the law by a bill introduced today by Senator Pomerene. The treasury department already has announced its intention to interpret the law liberally.

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## C. F. & I. RULES WITH IRON HAND IN "KINGDOM OF JEFF FARR," SAYS PROF. BREWSTER

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company for the selection of candidates.

"If Mr. Welborn believes a small part of what he says," said the witness, "he is the most unsophisticated business man I ever heard of."

He puts his business before his citizenship, his rights before society's rights, before any right," he declared. "As he said at the congressional investigation, it is his own business and he intends to run it in his own way. See what damage he has done."

### Cause of Unrest.

Professor Brewster began his testimony after President J. F. Welborn of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company had concluded his testimony and had arranged to divulge the name of the writer of the company's publicity pamphlets and to submit all the telegrams received from the eastern directors of the company during the strike to the commission.

In conclusion Mr. Welborn related the shooting of Marshal Lee at Segundo, on September 24, 1913, the day after the call of the strike, the killing of mine guards at La Veta, and how physicians had been kept from going to the wounded men for two hours.

Mine accidents could be charged to overhead expenses only if a national law was enacted, he said. Otherwise the extra burden would turn the local consumption field over to competitors from other states. The Colorado Fuel and Iron company carried no accident insurance, preferring to settle directly with claimants. The only reason for the unrest in Colorado was the introduction of a lawless element by the United Mine Workers of America, he said. Had the law been enforced and the militia used vigorously the strike would have ended quickly, he thought.

### Welborn and Walsh Clash.

Welborn clashed with Chairman Walsh of the federal industrial relations commission this afternoon over the right claimed by the coal operator to withhold the name of the man who wrote "Facts Concerning the Struggle in Colorado for Industrial Freedom."

Mr. Welborn insisted upon assuming full responsibility for the pamphlet, said he had given his word that the author's identity would not be disclosed and finally asked for time to consult counsel as to the right of the commission to force him to give the information demanded.

The writer was engaged for the work on the promise that his name would not be used in connection with it, said Mr. Welborn, who had been called to the stand to resume his testimony in the Colorado coal miners' strike investigation.

### Walsh Demands Name.

Without going into the reason for the commission's request, said Mr. Walsh, "that is not proper reason, so far as the law is concerned for not giving the information."

"He was not responsible except for the detailed execution," protested Mr. Welborn, "any more than a stenographer to whom I dictate a letter."

"If you decline to give the name, the commission will, of course, take such action as it deems best," warned Walsh.

### I do not decline," replied Welborn.

"But I ask the right of consulting counsel. I consider this a very serious matter."

Previously Mr. Welborn said he had never heard until Mr. Walsh read it to him, of the statute of 1908, which forbids coal company employees from acting as judges of elections in "closed" camps.

Commissioner Welnshtok took up Mr. Welborn's last report to the stockholders of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company.

### Proof Is Demanded.

"What proof is there for the statement that strikers have hidden their arms and ammunition instead of turning them over to the federal troops?" he asked.

"It was an open secret in the district," replied Welborn.

The witness was asked concerning the statement in the report that a strike leader had asked that the strikers were preparing to attack the militia upon the withdrawal of the federal troops and that 4,000 men were ready to come in from another state. "What

leader do you refer to?" asked Mr. Welnshtok.

Mr. Welborn named William Diamond.

The witness said if the strike could be called off today the strikers could not be employed because the mines were filled. He declared that the strike was lost four months ago. If the federal troops should be taken out and the militia sent in he looked for a renewal of violence unless the disarming of the strikers was completed.

### Tear Up Union Cards.

Commissioner Garretson asked why, if conditions in union mines were so much better than in unionized properties, union men insist upon unionizing in Colorado.

"That is not a fact," said Welborn. "They usually tear up their cards."

Mr. Welborn said the most friendly relations existed between the strikers and the state militia until the governor allowed strike breakers to come into the state from Pennsylvania and the militia prevented the strikers from attacking these men. The strike breakers had a legal right to enter the state, he said, adding that it was not a question of ethics but of what was legally right.

"In your statement to stockholders you said a condition of anarchy existed in the southern field. Other witnesses here say the only law there was the law of the companies. What is the difference?" asked Garretson.

"The difference was that one statement was a falsehood."

How shall we determine the credibility of a witness? Garretson persisted. "If the common knowledge that the miners purchased arms was credible, was it not equally credible that your elections were corrupt?"

Mr. Welborn said the latter statement was false.

## FORGETS PAPERS; REFUSED ADMITTANCE TO PRISON

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 7.—R. N. Gibson, sentenced from Multnomah county to serve from one to five years in the penitentiary for obtaining money under false pretenses, was refused admittance when he arrived at the prison yesterday. He had been authorized by Sheriff Word of Portland to make the trip alone, but had forgotten to bring his commitment papers.

He was told to return and get them, and he started for Portland again, expressing chagrin at the delay.

## WHAT DYSEPTICS SHOULD EAT

### A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble arise, nine times out of ten, due to acidity, therefore stomach sufferers should whenever possible avoid eating food that is acid in its nature. Food which is chemical in the stomach develops acidity. Unfortunately, such a rule eliminates most foods which are pleasant to the taste as well as those which are rich in blood, flesh and nerve building properties. This is the reason why dyspeptics and stomach sufferers are usually so thin, emaciated and lacking in vital energy which can only come from a well fed body. For the benefit of those sufferers who have been obliged to exclude from their diet all starch, sweet or fatty food, and are trying to keep up a miserable existence on gluten products, I would suggest that you should try a meal of any food or foods which you may like, in moderate amount, taking immediately afterwards a teaspoonful of Bismarck's Magnesia in a little hot or cold water. This will neutralize any acid which may be present, or which may be formed, and instead of the usual feeling of uneasiness and fullness, you will find that your food agrees with you perfectly. Bismarck's Magnesia is undoubtedly the best food corrective and antacid known. It has no direct action on the stomach, but by neutralizing the acidity of the food contents, and thus removing the source of the acid irritation which inflames the delicate stomach lining, it does more than could possibly be done by any drug or medicine. As a physician, I believe in the use of medicine whenever necessary, but I must admit that I cannot see the sense of dosing an inflamed and irritated stomach with drugs instead of getting rid of the acid, the cause of all the trouble. Get a little Bismarck's Magnesia from your druggist or mail order house, and you will find it a most useful and safe remedy for the acid stomach. Some of the injured magnesia as directed above and see if you are right."

## MINERS MEET, BUT POSTPONE THE MAIN SESSION TILL TODAY

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Action on the appointment of committee on resolutions and rules, no business was transacted today at the opening session of the convention of District of United Mine Workers of America held to consider the action of President Wilson in appointing a federal mediation commission to act in the Colorado coal strike. The convention adjourned to meet early tomorrow, when a subcommittee of the international executive board will present a report dealing with the appointment of the federal commission and other matters which may properly be considered at this time, according to the official call.

The report will be presented by Frank J. Hayes, international vice president and chairman of the subcommittee of the international executive board. At the opening of the convention today Mr. Hayes hinted that the report would be submitted to the convention in executive session and admonished the committee on credentials to exercise particular care with reference to organizing the convention.

In acting upon this very important matter," he said, "we must be sure we are reporting to members of the United Mine Workers."

The annual election of officers in District 15 will also take place tomorrow. All members throughout the district will vote at their local offices. The visiting delegates who number about 250 will vote here. President John McLeannan, who is a candidate for reelection, has no opposition.

## TWO DOCTORS ARRESTED FOR DEATH OF GIRL

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Dr. Robert J. Mason, an osteopath, was arrested at a fraternity house here today at the request of the Denver police charged with murder. Mason told the police he would return without extradition papers.

"I read in the papers I was wanted in connection with the death of Miss Ruth Merrivether," said Dr. Mason. "I know nothing of her death."

Dr. Mason said he had practiced medicine in Denver since his graduation from a Des Moines Ia. medical college two years ago. Ruth Merrivether was a daughter of S. H. Merrivether.

DENVER, Dec. 7.—Miss Ruth Merrivether died as a result of an operation performed by Dr. F. W. Noble according to the verdict of a coroner's jury which completed an investigation of the case late today.

According to members of the Merrivether family, Dr. Robert J. Mason arrested today in Chicago in connection with the case and Miss Merrivether were engaged.

Dr. Noble was arrested upon instructions of District Attorney Rush. Dr. A. A. Cunningham, a witness in the inquest, testified that Dr. Noble's fee was paid by Dr. Mason.

## ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION HAS MORE MONEY THAN WHEN FUND WAS STARTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The statement of the finances of the Rockefeller foundation promulgated last night when the general summary of the work and plans of the foundation was made public, was given out tonight at the office of the foundation here.

The funds of the foundation, all of which were contributed by John D. Rockefeller, consist of securities, the market value of which at the time they were donated was \$100,000,000. The present book value of these securities is given as \$107,242,271. The income of the foundation to date has been approximately \$5,500,000; its appropriations about \$5,000,000.

A list of the funds which Mr. Rockefeller gave to the foundation shows that they embrace bonds, notes and stocks of 147 companies. The net profits on securities sold and redeemed have been \$1,357,731. The unexpended income is given as \$2,321,547 and the cash on hand as \$689,545. The total funds of the foundation on December 1 are given as \$107,930,817.

In making his gift to the foundation the statement says:

"Mr. Rockefeller expressly empowered the directors of the foundation in their discretion to utilize the principal or the income or both for the charitable purposes of the foundation, namely: To promote the well-being of mankind throughout the world."

## SUPREME COURT REFUSES TO REVIEW FRANK CASE

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 7.—Refusal of the supreme court today to grant a writ of error for review of the case of Leo M. Frank brought an announcement from Solicitor General Hugh M. Dorsey here that immediate steps would be taken to have a new date set for Frank's execution for the murder of 14-year-old Mary Phagan.

The solicitor general will appear before Superior Judge Benjamin H. Hill Wednesday and ask the court for a writ directing that Frank be produced for resentencing. Judge Hill then is expected to set the time for bringing the prisoner into court.

Lawyers here familiar with the case said tonight they knew of no further legal efforts that could be made to save the prisoner's life except an appeal for mercy to the Governor. Statute of Georgia and the 14th plenary commission.

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- Military Brushes in Cases.
- Bachelors' Sewing Cases.
- Manicure Sets.
- Men's Jewel Cases.
- Necktie Racks.

- Correspondence Cases.
- Wrist Purse.
- Music Rolls and Bags.
- Medicine Cases.
- Fountain Pens.
- Umbrellas.
- Traveling Bags.
- Suit Cases.
- Trunks.
- Wardrobe Trunks.
- Auto Robes.
- Steamer, Shawls.
- Navajo Rugs.

- Necktie Cases.
- Bill Books.
- Coin Purse.
- Address Books.
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- Umbrellas.
- Traveling Bags.
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## RAYMOND HITCHCOCK CAN SURELY HIT FUNNY CHORD

"The Beauty Shop," His Latest Nom de Plume, as Big a Scream as Former Great Successes

By F. R. W.

Raymond Hitchcock can't sing, can't dance, can't act very much, but he certainly can't invariably locate the responsive funny chord in a person. So he devotes his entire time to amusing—telling good stories, he's a past master—sprinkling original witty sayings at unexpected and often inappropriate moments and getting away with them; making faces, being generally foolish—and never once thinks of the qualities usually considered necessary in the musical comedy comedian. From which it might be assumed that the crowd which packed the Orpheum house last night enjoyed itself. It did.

It seems almost foolish to add anything to what already has been said of Raymond Hitchcock, both in his present vehicle and his other late success, "The Red Widow." He is the same funny fellow. His witty interpolations today are every bit as good as those of past days that have made thousands laugh until they cried, and they are just as new for he often causes a new panic among those who happen on the stage with him during one of his "fits." He talks his songs in the same screaming way and is called back by half a dozen voices. His "All Dressed Up and No Place to Go" is even funnier, if possible, than his former hits. His stories are marvels in the story-telling art, chiefly because of his wonderful control of his face. And his many judicious little pieces of "business" approaching the slapstick—are just as good.

### "Beauty Shop" Mostly Hitchcock.

Really, Raymond Hitchcock is about all one could ask for in this particular type. And, as yet, there remains but one of him.

Naturally, "The Beauty Shop" is nine-tenths Raymond Hitchcock, the remaining one-tenth being a mass of all the many varied matters that go to make up a typical musical production. As a musical show it doesn't count. But then once attention is centered on the star so much that one takes little note of the rest of the performance.

There are four very good dancers in "The Beauty Shop"—Marion Sunshine and Joseph Herbert, Jr. and Anna Orr and Earl Benham. And they are worked almost to death, taking the place of the chorus in most of the numbers. The dances following "My Tango Queen" by Miss Sunshine and Mr. Herbert, and "Twas in September" by Miss Orr and Mr. Benham, were especially good. Likewise, the duet and dance "Loves Hesitation" by Miss Christine Mangasirith and Mr. Herbert was pleasing.

### Music Doesn't Amount to Much.

There are no tunes in "The Beauty Shop" and, if there were, they probably would be drowned in bursts of laughter at the antics of Mr. Hitchcock. Nevertheless, "Come Along, Little Girl, Come Along," a mixed quartet, and "I Love All the Boys in the World," by Miss Sunshine, were good numbers. Of course, Hitchcock's "I'm a Soldier" and "No Place to Go" and his duet with Miss Sunshine, "I Love You Just the Same," were strange. The latter the couple were recited so often that the comedian gave one of his best off-stage smiles. It was of showing his appreciation of the insistence of the crowd.

In size the chorus suffered though it wasn't a very good looking or musical one. Its chief duty, however, was to create an impression of numbers and form a dim background for the comedian and his dancing stars. The other minor matters of musical comedy didn't exist—weren't even necessary.

## WOULD PLACE MARINE CORPS ON WAR FOOTING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Major General Bennett, commander of the marine corps, told the house naval committee today of the needs of his branch of the service. He said the corps was adequately equipped with machine guns and field artillery for times of peace, but would need more to be put on a war basis.

Major General Bennett said that the marine corps had 12,000 men, and that it was expected to appear in the coming year in the naval appropriation bill for the coming year.

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## KILLS TWO IN COURT ROOM AS TRIAL BEGINS

CASHMERE Wash, Dec. 7. Harry E. Carr of Leavenworth Wash, today shot and killed C. D. Franklin who was being tried on a charge of assaulting a girl. The shooting occurred in the court room here and one of the bullets which Carr fired missed its mark and killed J. J. Parsons, a juror.

The court room was crowded. The jurors had been chosen and were in their places when Carr fired the shot. Carr's interest in the case was that Franklin was also to have been tried on a statutory offense against Carr's 10-year-old daughter. Previous to his arrest, Franklin had a good reputation and had been superintendent of the Sunday schools of Leavenworth. He had a wife and five children, who were with him in the court room at the time of the shooting.

Carr walked quietly into the court room and, advancing to a point behind Franklin, began firing with an automatic pistol. Two bullets entered Franklin's body and a third bullet pierced the chest of Parsons, who fell dead. Franklin lived 15 minutes.

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**TO SEW FOR POOR**—There will be a meeting of the Luller Improvement Society this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Luller school, to sew for the poor of the city for Christmas. All those desiring are asked to bring thimbles.

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## LESLIE J. SKELTON'S LANDSCAPE STUDIES OF BEAUTIFUL AND DELICATE COLOR EFFECTS

**Exhibition in Perkins Hall Shows Work of Colorado Springs Artist at Its Best**

By ANNE RIJTER

After an interval of eight years Leslie J. Skelton is once more giving to the people of Colorado Springs the opportunity of seeing a collection of his landscape paintings, hung upon the newly-decorated walls of the art gallery in Perkins hall.

The collection comprises some 125 pictures, the subjects of which are drawn from many different parts of the world, but a dominating idea runs through them all namely, a desire to interpret certain delicate and harmonious effects of light and atmosphere. The subjects are very varied, being drawn from the seashore, the mountains, the plains and from picturesque villages, but the color schemes are almost without exception pleasing and harmonious. One feels, perhaps, that Mr. Skelton is most in sympathy with the broad expanses of beach and water, with the tender and atmospheric skies which overhang them. His mood is seldom touched by the intense, dramatic or the sudden contrast but one feels in most of the pictures his unusually keen sense of composition, of balance, and a very sincere and earnest desire to express the beauty of nature in her more gentle moods. Many paintings of brilliant accomplishments have not that sense of balance, which is one of Mr. Skelton's chief possessions, and which is such an aid in presenting one's ideas upon canvas in a clear and convincing manner.

The first group of paintings hanging on the east wall and comprising the numbers one to twelve, inclusive, is chiefly recent work done in Normandy, France, and includes two or three of the most beautiful pictures of the exhibition. The center picture No. 6, expresses successfully the idea of a great expanse of beach and water and is moreover a lovely harmony of color. In numbers one and eight it is interesting to note the same subject and composition seen under entirely different effects of light.

Many Scenes of Venice.

On the south wall is to be found first a group of pictures painted in Venice, a number of which have been shown in eastern and European exhibitions, all interpreting in varied ways that charming place so well loved of artists.

### MINISTERS TO PREACH ON "REAL MEANING OF XMAS"

Campaign Against Lavish and Useless

Gifts to Be Carried on in the

Pikes Peak Region

All the members of the El Paso County Ministerial association will preach next Sunday morning on "The Real Meaning of Christmas." The sermon being the big feature of the ministerial campaign for a more simple Christmas. The association is urging people not to give lavish and useless gifts, but to make the day so far as the exchange of presents is concerned one of decided simplicity. In this way more money can be devoted to the needs of the needy. It is pointed out "The real meaning of Christmas has gotten entirely away from the people in the last few years. One of the ministers said during the discussion: 'Now I have only thought of Christmas as a day when everyone tries to outdo everyone else in making lavish gifts. The real spirit is gone. We want to try to bring it back and keep it, there is nothing more beautiful.'"

General terms have secured 240 conversions and 360 reconsecrations. Secretary McKibben reported. The teams will work in the churches during the winter.

**THE KIDS GROUP INSTANTLY**  
You know group is dangerous. You should also know the cause of mortality that comes from always having Foles, Honey and Tar compound in the house. It cuts the throat mucus and clears away the phlegm, stops the strangling cough and gives easy breathing and quiet sleep. Take it for coughs, colds, tickling throat, hoarseness and for bronchitis and is gripe coughs. Contains no opiates. Every user is a friend. Robinson Drug Co.

**How to Keep Well**  
(Continued From Page Four)  
Is there any way of destroying these insects?"

**REPLY**  
I infer that you have got rid of most of the insects, if not all of them. I should say that you would be safe in using the flour.

The flour is riddled with them, it might not be safe. Certainly it would not be nice.

It is not an easy matter to get rid of flour weevils. The pantry and bins must be thoroughly cleaned. Use scalding water freely (carbon sulphide, two pounds to each 1000 cubic feet of air space) is recommended. The gas is inflammable. Cyanide gas is better, but it is too dangerous for general use. Go to the public library and read up on a subject in Herrick's "Insects Injurious to the Household."

**OUT OF MEDICINE**  
K A L writes: "I am a victim of chronic indigestion. I have been taking digestive tablets. Do you think there is any danger in keeping this up?"

**REPLY**  
I should say that, since your indigestion is chronic, you need a victim of digestive tablets.

The next group includes subjects drawn from various picturesque corners of Europe. No. 12, "The Village Street, Lake Como," being one of the most striking notes of the exhibition, brilliant and sparkling in color. No. 43, "Morning Haze, Lake Garda," is also an unusual color scheme.

On the north wall are pictures drawn from California subjects and from Colorado. The Colorado pictures include a number of interesting views of the plains, with varied play of light and color as one looks over them from the mountains. No. 62, "Pikes Peak, Woodland Park," was painted this summer and is a picture for which Mr. Skelton made many studies.

In the center of the large gallery hangs one of the finest of the pictures, No. 66, "Fisherman's Cottage, Normandy," charming in composition and rich and varied in color. At the back of this canvas hangs the "Storm Cloud," particularly interesting because it was the original study made for the picture bought recently by the Canadian government for the National Art gallery in honor fallen upon Mr. Skelton which we all appreciate.

"Thumb-Box" Sketches Interesting.

In the smaller gallery is to be found a very interesting collection of thumb-box sketches, quick impressions painted directly from nature, studies of which the painter often makes use later, for his larger and more complete pictures. Many of these little sketches are quite complete in themselves and are fresh and spontaneous impressions. Among the Colorado sketches one notes No. 77, painted evidently because of the brilliant foreground of yellow flowers, and No. 78, with its lovely seque of color and atmosphere in the distant mountains.

Numbers 93 to 122 include foreign sketches of which 98 is a particularly pleasing study of a gray olive tree, contrasted with a deep, distant blue.

The group of "Fishing Boats" is a particularly happy note in the exhibition and includes several pastels of charming color. In the same room are several large pictures, notably No. 118, "Morning Mist, Lake Garda," a harmony in gray-blue.

Those who have had the opportunity of seeing Mr. Skelton's work from time to time will note with pleasure the steady advance and growth which he has made. He has not rested content with his early successes, but remains a student, alive to new impressions so that his interpretation grows in beauty and charm.

The exhibition comes at an unusual happy moment, helping to fill a void caused by the inability of the Art society to bring any exhibitions here this winter and will give great pleasure to many lovers of art in the Springs. It is to be hoped that the young people will take advantage of the opportunity of seeing these pictures, an opportunity which they are not likely to have again because of the labor and fatigue attending upon arranging such an exposition.

### MRS. WATERS TO RETURN SUNDAY IN PRIVATE CAR

Funeral of Late Head of Short Line

Will Be Held When Family Comes

Back From Coast

Mrs. Jesse H. Waters, son and daughter, will return to Colorado Springs from a Christmas trip, traveling in the private car of the late president of the Short Line. Arrangements for the funeral of Mr. Waters, who died as the result of an accident in the temple creek district, will be made when the family arrives.

The condition of Roadmaster J. P. Lendrum, injured in the same collision is reported to be about the same and still serious. The patient is holding his strength but has not as yet regained consciousness.

**John Z. White to Give Several Lectures Here**

John Z. White, of Chicago, well known as a lecturer and who was instrumental in securing a victory for the initiative and referendum forces in Colorado several years ago, will be in Colorado Springs next week under the auspices of the local Social Tax association. Mr. White will address several of the labor unions and is scheduled to speak at an open meeting at the court house. Arrangements are being made for a special meeting, to which members of the Chamber of Commerce will be invited.

While in this city Mr. White will be available for meetings of improvement societies and in private houses. Communications should be addressed to the secretary of the association, Ernest Sinton, 15 North Tejon street.

**OPERATION**—Mrs. Ada H. Wood of 27 West Jefferson avenue underwent an operation yesterday at St. Francis hospital. Her condition is satisfactory and she is improving.

**No Trouble to Keep Skin Free From Hairs**  
(The Modern Beauty)  
There is no need for any woman to countenance superfluous hairs, because with a paste made by mixing some powdered delatone with water it is easy to get rid of them. The paste is applied for 2 or 3 minutes. The paste is rubbed off and the skin washed. This treatment will rid the skin of hair without leaving a blemish but care should be taken to see that you get real delatone.

## 1,472 AUTOMOBILES IN EL PASO COUNTY

115 Makes in Use, With Ford in Lead With 367; Many High-Priced Cars

Motor cars in use in El Paso county number 1,472, according to statistics compiled by County Clerk L. C. Skelton from records of state automobile licenses issued to date during the present year. There are 115 makes in use, the Ford leading with 367 and the Buick being second with 181. The list shows a large number of the higher priced cars.

Motor taxes collected during 11 months of 1914 total \$38,394, one-half of the net going to the county for the road fund. It is expected that December licenses will bring the total to \$75,000, placing El Paso county second in the state in amount of motor taxes collected.

Following is the list of licensed automobiles and the number of each make as compiled by County Clerk Skelton: Ford 367, Buick 181, Cadillac 65, Chalmers 55, E. M. F. 57, Overland 50, Studebaker 45, Hudson 31, Maxwell 31, Baker Elec. 28, Franklin 29, Hupmobile 28, Reo 24, Packard 20, Columbus Elec. 17, Detroit Elec. 16, Oldsmobile 15, Peerless 15, Thomas 14, Mitchell 13, Pierce 13, White 13, Metz 11, Abbott-Detroit 10, Chase Trucks 10, Flanders 10, Brush 9, Hup-Tates Elec. 9, Loxley 9, Rambler 9, Stevens-Duryea 8, Haines 5, Oakland 5, Paige-Detroit 5, Buick-Lang Elec. 5, Frithie Elec. 7, Locomobile 7, Pratt-Bikhart 5, Stanley Steamer 5, Pope-Hartford 5, Waverly Elec. 5, Anderson 4, Cartecar 4, Chandler 4, Cole 4, I. H. C. Truck 4, Lambert 4, Marmon 4, Premier 4, Stoddard-Dayton 4, Ohio Elec. 3, Petrol 3, Rapid Truck 3, Reo 3, Sears 3, Veline Truck 3, Winton 3.

Two Each of the Following: Alco Trucks, Colburn, Detroit, Empire Electric, G. E. Trucks, Gramm Trucks, Imp Cycle car, Jackson, Kirt, Marmon Michigan, McIntire Northern, R. C. H. Renault, Saxon Speedwell, Stearns, Sterling, Victor Elec, Woode Elec.

One Each of the Following: Adams, American, Amplex, Autocar, Babcock, Case, Covent, Dart, Elmore, Gieson, Glide, Great Smith, Great Western, Halladay, Haves, Jeffries, Marrow, Matheson, Maytag, Middleby, Monitor, National, Norwalk, Parry, Pullman, Rockway, Schacht, Simplex, Stutz, Union, Westcott, Willys.

### MURDER WITH FELONIOUS INTENT, IS JURY VERDICT

Will File Information Today Against

Riley Walker, Charging Him With

Death of Mrs. Edna Grier

Murder with felonious intent was the verdict of a coroner's jury which yesterday afternoon conducted an inquest into the death of Mrs. Edna Grier, colored, who was found dead at her home 337 East High street Sunday noon and for whose murder the police have under arrest Riley Walker, also colored.

The verdict is signed by S. Armstrong, Foreman, Frederick Herman, J. J. Murphy, Charles A. Steadman, J. J. Maher and J. A. Bishop. Walker has been taken to the county jail and the district attorney's office probably will file an information against him today.

Edna Grier came to her death some time between the hours of 10 o'clock on the night of December 7 and 12 noon on December 8 in El Paso county. Being beaten with an instrument the nature of which to the jury is unknown in the hands of one Riley Walker. We further find that the beating was inflicted with felonious intent.

**Miss Barndollar Awarded Mining Stock by Court**

The state supreme court has just handed down a decision awarding to Miss Barndollar, for several years housekeeper for the late Harry Hall, all the mining stocks valued at about \$5000 which were in her possession at the time of Mr. Hall's death. Administrators to collect of the estate took possession of the stocks and Miss Barndollar brought suit in the local court to recover them. She was awarded the few stocks endorsed over to her and carried the case to the supreme court to recover all.

**STOCK EXHIBITS ATTRACT CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION**

Poultry, Rabbit and Corn Show at Stratton Building Opens Today; Largest Ever Held Here

The large room on the ground floor of the new Stratton building, corner of Tejon and Huertano streets, have been filled with exhibits of poultry, corn and rabbits from all parts of the country, in preparation for the opening of the show this morning. This is the first exhibition of the National Pet Stock association ever held west of Chicago, and several hundred crates of livestock already have been received and placed.

The various exhibits of Belgian and Flemish hares, "Cavies," or guinea pigs, as they are more generally called, Himalayan rabbits, Golden Fawns, White Leghorn hens and roosters, Orpingtons, Plymouth Rocks and many other species, already are attracting much attention. The crates are placed in long rows down the length of the building.

An informal banquet was held last night at the Alamo hotel to celebrate the opening of the show. President L. S. J. Griffin of the Pikes Peak Rabbit association was toastmaster, introducing Mayor McKesson, who made the address of welcome, Judge C. S. Gibson, the guest of honor, and other speakers on the program.

In connection with the poultry and rabbit show there will be a special exhibit of the corn work of the Boys and Girls club, and a number of entries from farmers and ranchers in all parts of El Paso county have been received and placed.

Prizes have been offered by local business houses and merchants, one in particular from the National Pet Stock association attracting much attention.



Courtesy of Hart & Marx

## Hart Schaffner & Marx and Hirsh Wickwire Clothes

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There's distinction and smart style in every thread and every stitch of the tailoring in these smart clothes.

Be sensible about your clothes buying; don't take any chances; you know exactly what these clothes are; and right now it's greatly to your advantage to buy them, because all suits and overcoats are reduced one-fourth.

15.00 Suits or Overcoats	11.25	25.00 Suits or Overcoats	18.75
18.00 Suits or Overcoats	13.50	27.50 Suits or Overcoats	20.65
20.00 Suits or Overcoats	15.00	30.00 Suits or Overcoats	22.50
35.00 Suits or Overcoats	26.25		

## THE HUB

**3,480 Red Cross Seals Are Sold on First Day**

The sale of Red Cross Christmas seals here yesterday brought in \$24.80, 3,480 stamps being sold at 1 cent apiece, according to Agent W. F. Worcester of the Associated Charities, who is the distributing agent for the Pikes Peak region. Girls were in charge of booths at the postoffice, Robinson's Drug company, Robbins Clothing company and Giddings & Kirkwood. The seals were on sale at other places, also. Altogether, 8,150 seals have been sold, 5,000 having been disposed of by the charities last week.

The following photographers have agreed to place Red Cross seals on all their outgoing mail and photographs during December 19 photographs' day. Bingham, Auld & Stanley, Emery, Fulton, Krugmoore, Clark, Quillen and Stewart Brothers. On December 22, which is druggists' day, the following firms will stamp their parcels: The Century Drug company, Sun Drug company, Herley-Arularius Drug company, Gutmann Drug company, Macy Drug company, Munroe Drug company, Paria-Wood Drug company, Phillips-Smith Drug company, South End pharmacy, West Side pharmacy and the Butcher Drug company.

### 3 Copyright Books for \$1.00

We Place on Sale Tuesday Morning 100 COPYRIGHT BOOKS OF FICTION AT 35c EACH, OR THREE FOR \$1.00

These are nearly all regular \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 editions, and by such well-known authors as Hamlin Garland, Amelia E. Barr, Oppenheim, Zona Gale and others.

This is an unusual opportunity to get Christmas presents at an extremely low price. Come early.

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## Christmas Shoe Suggestions

Most people like their shoes and slippers to come from this store. They know our merchandise is right. You can't please them better than to get something bearing the Whitaker & Wells.

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| Wool Soles for Knit Slippers | Spats or Overgaiters  |
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# GULF BETWEEN CAPITAL AND LABOR, EVER WIDENING, IS CAUSE OF INDUSTRIAL UNREST

**Federal Commission on Industrial Relations Submits Exhaustive Review of the Situation to Congress**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Nine cardinal causes of industrial unrest, most generally agreed upon by employers and employees alike, were presented to Congress today by the commission on industrial relations in its preliminary report as follows:

Largely a world-wide movement, arising from a laudable desire for better living conditions, advanced by representatives of labor, socialists and employers and generally ignored.

A protest against low wages, long hours and improper working conditions in many industries. Advanced, by practically all labor representatives and assented to by many employers.

A desire on the part of the workers for a voice in the determination of conditions under which they labor, and a revolt against arbitrary treatment of individual workers and a suppression of organization. This was almost uniformly approved by labor witnesses.

Unemployment and the insecurity of employment. Generally advanced by witnesses from every standpoint.

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## BUILDING OF SUBMARINES FOR BELLIGERENTS BARRED

Schwab's Company Will Not Violate President Wilson's Neutrality Declaration

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Wilson today expressed the opinion through a statement issued by Secretary Bryan that the building of submarines for any of the belligerents of the present war would be contrary to the spirit of neutrality of the United States.

The statement contained an announcement that the Bethlehem Steel corporation, of which Charles M. Schwab is president and which owns the Fore River Ship Building company had deferred to the views of the president and did not intend to deliver any submarines to the belligerents during the present war.

The question of whether it was legal for American firms to build submarines for shipment in the present case was decided in the present case, the voluntary withdrawal of the Bethlehem Steel corporation from any intention to build them having left the matter still open.

High officials of the government think, however, that if the case went to the courts they could prove that the building of any great number of parts for a submarine is tantamount to "outfitting" a warship which is expressly prohibited by neutrality statutes of the United States.

Secretary Bryan said today he felt sure that the president's declaration would deter any ship builders from sending parts of submarines to Canada for shipment, as had been reported.

disputed act, which prohibits strikes and lockouts in public utilities pending investigation by the mediators, assisted by representatives of the employers and employees. Such a law is uniformity of labor on the ground that it is in favor of the employer who utilizes the period of delay to make preparations for breaking the strike.

Regarding trade unions and employers' associations, the commission announces that it is making a comprehensive study of a large number of typical organizations. The commission says:

"Against many of these associations and unions grave charges of serious import to the welfare of the country, if they be proved true, have been laid before the commission, and it is only in the light of the examination that the facts can be developed and such examination we are now prosecuting."

**Labor Market Needed.**  
The commission's experts also are looking into questions of unorganized labor, scientific management in shops as it affects employees, women and children in industry, land problems, unemployment, social legislation and labor and the law of unemployment.

Nothing comes so clear to the commission as the imperative necessity of organizing a market for labor on a modern business basis so that there will be no vacant jobs and idle workers in the same community at the same time or within distance where the transportation is practicable. The consensus of opinion is that legislation for a national system of labor exchanges is an immediate necessity. The plan of the commission proposes to establish a bureau of employment in the department of labor, which would cooperate with state and municipal employment offices, regulate private agencies doing interstate business and establish clearing houses for distributing information, uniting all labor exchanges into one national system.

**Criticism of Trade Unions.**  
The report takes up in detail criticisms of existing trade unions which it says came from employers and radical labor advocates. There are 15 detailed criticisms in this list with an additional list of seven specific objections to present labor union methods.

Paraphrasing these lists, 21 detailed criticisms of employers' organizations are presented coming from labor representatives. The labor men, however, were unanimous in favoring strong organizations by employers to further collective agreements with employees.

While virtually unanimous agreement of witnesses was found in favor of the formation of a federal commission of mediation and conciliation, report points out that "practically every witness has expressed the strongest disapproval of any form of compulsory arbitration."

There will be a purely voluntary, written agreement that mediators should be bipartisan that they should have full power of investigation, that their contact with industry or industries with which they are expected to deal should be as nearly continuous as possible; that they should, if possible, act before a dispute has come to a head, and that adequate inducements should be offered to obtain the best possible men.

**Employers Favor Canadian Act.**  
The testimony of a majority of the employers was in favor of a rule similar to that of the Canadian industrial

**BAD BLOOD.**  
Hatred of the Nations for One Another.

This European war was born of the hatred caused by earlier warfare—it will engender other wars between the same nations in the future. The sons yet unborn will carry this hatred in their blood to blaze into wars of Kings or Statesmen who are set in infancy.

It is bad blood that makes your liver sluggish and the same bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby and weak and that means indigestion.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a pure vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics, is not a secret remedy for all its ingredients are printed on a wrapper.

Take it as directed and it will search out impure and poisonous matter in the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys and drive it from the system through the natural channels.

It will penetrate into the joints and muscles and dissolve the poisonous accumulations. It will replace all the bad blood it drives out, with rich, pure blood, and with the kind of blood that increases energy and ambition, that puts the entire body in such perfect physical condition that brain or muscles know no fatigue.

It will clear the skin; eczema, pimples, rash, blotches will dry up and disappear; boils, carbuncles and other evidences of tainted blood will pass away never to appear again.

Get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery at any medicine dealer today. In either liquid or tablet form as you prefer it is the one great blood purifier and purifier that will cure all skin people ought to try to use at once. If you want good blood good health and clear skin get a supply today.

**MOTHERS, DO THIS—**  
When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Cheeks.

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup or worse. And then when you're glad you have a jar of MUSTEROLE at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister, there's nothing like MUSTEROLE. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house.

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## GERMANY PREPARED TO CARE FOR INSANE WHEN WAR BEGAN

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The military medical authorities made preparations at the outbreak of the war for treating mental maladies caused by terrors of battle. It had been shown by the Russo-Japanese war that the effect of the long-drawn-out modern battle, with its terrible and incessant roar of artillery, was in a high degree unfavorable and the record of mental derangements caused by the battles in the far east opened a new chapter in the horrors of war.

In anticipation that similar results would attend the present war, the German authorities established at Strassburg a special hospital for the treatment of diseases of the mind caused by battle.

One of the physicians attached to this hospital has just given, in the Munich Medical Weekly, some of his observations. He found that mental disorders manifested themselves among the German population even during the period of mobilization when the terror of being arrested as a spy was ever present with many persons. Still greater have been the numbers of persons who lost their mental balance through the terrors of battle and especially through the long continued struggle. Some of these patients showed something like hysteria and kept repeating in a dramatic way incidents that they had seen in battle.

The writer uses a special term "neuroasthenic depression" to describe the effects upon a large number of patients who had seen continuous fighting. People suffering in this way could rid themselves of the notion that they were still on the battlefield and often had the illusion that an enemy was slipping upon them from the rear.

The writer in the Medical Weekly found in the treatment of these cases of mental derangement that even after the state of hallucination had worn off, the patient usually remained highly nervous.

**Salvation Army Kettles on Street Corners Today**  
The Salvation Army will put its Christmas kettles on the downtown street corners today and begin collecting the fund to provide Christmas dinners for the worthy poor of Colorado Springs. The pots will be kept on the streets until Christmas day and the Army officers earnestly urge that everyone help to "keep them boiling."

All the money secured in this way will be spent to provide Christmas dinners for those who cannot afford to buy them. All contributions, however small will be appreciated.

**Biliousness and Constipation Cured.**  
If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of H. E. Erwin, Peru Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away. For sale by all dealers."

**J. M. STEWART BUYS GOLDEN RULE GROCERY**  
Mr. J. M. Stewart bought his partner Mr. Dan Tracy's interest in the Golden Rule grocery, at 128 S. Nevada avenue, yesterday.

Mr. Stewart has had a good many years' experience in the grocery business at McAlester, Okla., where he conducted the largest grocery house in the city.

The Golden Rule is closing one of the busiest seasons in its history this month. It is a store that is all that the name implies and Mr. Stewart expects to make it bigger and better than ever.

Mr. Tracy expects to remain in Colorado Springs. He said last night that he had no business plans for the future.

**HEAVY CANNONADING IS HEARD NEAR SWISS LINE**  
BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 7.—The sound of heavy cannonading in upper Alsace has been heard so far as Basel and other localities near the Swiss frontier. The main struggle between the French and Germans, according to reports reaching the Swiss frontier, is around Altkirch and Damerkirch. The inmates of a large madhouse near Sennheim, more than 400 in number, were so frightened by the roaring of the guns that they became frantic and tried to break out of the asylum. The German authorities were obliged to convey all of them to Mulhausen.

A newspaper dispatch states that the Germans are mounting guns before the city hall and church in Colmar, with the object of forcing the French to bombard the town in the hope that the population will be thus turned against the French.

**LESSEES OPEN UP RICH ORE IN MARY NEVIN MINE**  
Lessees working through the Mary Nevin ground, on the property of the Banner Gold Mining company, have opened a large body of ore on the seventh level which is running from two to three ounces a ton. The ore has been exposed for a height of 25 feet and the vein has been broken three feet in width. John T. Hawkins of this city is president of the Banner company and the stock is controlled here.

**MRS. WEIR RECOVERING FROM PLOMAINE POISON**  
The condition of Mrs. John H. Weir, 612 North Corona street, who was among those suffering from plomaine poisoning from food eaten at a First M. E. church banquet last Thursday night is reported to be improving. Mrs. Weir's condition for some time was considered grave. Mr. Weir is chairman of the county's Progressive organization.

## Holeproof Hose for Men, Women & Children

There is fine heat and utmost satisfaction in these famous guaranteed Holeproof Hose, and we are exclusive agents for them.

Men's Holeproof Hose, the box of six and guaranteed for months, \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.50.

Men's Holeproof Silk Hose, the box of three, guaranteed for three months, \$2.00.

Ladies' Holeproof Hose, the box of six, guaranteed for six months, the box of three, guaranteed for three months, \$3.00.

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Ladies' Holeproof Silk Gloves, \$2.00 to 50 cents.

**Colorado City News**  
H. C. Kinsman is expected back from California shortly.

Lloyd Bernard, 215 Washington avenue, is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Riley of Fort Logan are visiting in this city.

John Prosser is seriously ill at his home corner of First and Main streets.

Mrs. Roddy, who has been visiting at the Erickson home for several weeks, has gone to California.

The weekly meeting of the Colorado City Commercial club will be held this evening at the Standard club rooms. Business of interest will come before the meeting. The membership of the club is considerably more than 100 and it is hoped that a large number of people will attend the weekly meetings.

**Rev. of the Court**  
On complaint of Molly Dyer, L. H. Dyer was arrested yesterday by Constable Charles Hobbs on a charge of non-support. The case will be tried this morning at 10 o'clock.

In police court yesterday morning C. H. Speck was fined \$25 and cost for running a disorderly house at South Corona street. Edgar Wiley and a Mrs. Jones were fined \$25 and costs each for frequenting the place.

**Cough Medicine for Children.**  
Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given other and more serious diseases may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is no better or safer medicine for coughs, colds and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drugs. For sale by all dealers. Adv.

**PEDDLER FINED FOR FAILING TO GET PERMIT**  
PUEBLO, Dec. 7.—Ignorance of city ordinance is not a good excuse. According to Magistrate R. A. Crossman, Patrick Kelly was fined \$10 by the court for peddling without a license. He said he did not know that the city of Pueblo required a peddler to get himself with a license before starting work.

**Makes Stubborn Coughs Vanish in a Hurry**  
Suffering Cough Cures. Made at St. Louis. For sale by all dealers.

If some one in your family has an asthmatic cough or a bad throat or cold that has been hanging on and refuses to yield to treatment, get from any store 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex and mix into a pint of cough syrup, and wait that cough vanish.

Four the 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (costs worth) into a pint bottle and the bottle will be given a full supply of a most effective remedy, saving of \$2. A day's use will overcome a hard cough. Easily prepared in 5 minutes, full directions with Pinex. Keeps perfectly and has a pleasant taste. Children like it.

It's really remarkable how prompt and easily it loosens the dry, hoarse, tight cough and heals the inflamed membrane in painful cough. It also the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the chronic loose cough. A splendid remedy for bronchitis, winter cough, bronchitis and whooping cough.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway extract, rich in gualac, which is healing to the membranes.

Druggists are making Pinex, do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction goes with preparation or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

## Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Purgative, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been a constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea. The Mother's Friend.

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# THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS IN SPORT CIRCLES

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NEWS FROM EVERY  
CORNER OF THE  
WORLD

## NATIONAL MOGULS SWEAR VENGEANCE AGAINST THE FEDS

Meeting Magnates Today To Be  
Gloomy; May Out-  
line Peace

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—If advance statements on what should be done in connection with the National league and the International league here this week with regard to methods adopted by the Federal league promoters and the joining of players to the new organization.

Without exception every club owner on his arrival here has had something to say concerning the Federal league and the Federalists not to be outdone have let it be known that a club may be placed in New York city next season.

August Herrmann, chairman of the National commission, characterized the signing by the Brooklyn Federalists of Marquand as a great mistake, adding, however, that it was the New York club's loss and unless President Hempstead demanded action it was no commission affair.

Herrmann also stated that his negotiations with Charles H. Weyman, relative to the purchase of the Chicago Cubs and incidentally peace between the old and new baseball organizations would be laid before the national commission which is expected to meet today. The national commission chairman intimated that one of the defensive measures to be adopted would be a rule to bar from minor league baseball players who are now or may in the future be identified with the Federal league.

## International to Retrench and Go to Smaller Cities

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—President J. C. Barrow of the International baseball league indicated today that the franchises of the Baltimore and Jersey City teams would be transferred to Richmond, Va. and Syracuse, N. Y. respectively. The meeting of the league which opened today is not expected to be finished before the latter part of the week.

A shorter program scheduled for the season of 1915 also will be strongly advocated by President Barrow, who is very much in favor of deferring the opening of the season and closing earlier.

"A schedule of 140 games," said he, "no man will be adequate as 134 games make the season entirely too long."

All the National league magnates were entertained at dinner here tonight by President Hempstead of the local club. President John K. Tener was expected to arrive late tonight but too late to take part in a proposed session of the national commission. Harry W. Hays, chairman of the commission, said that he would meet tomorrow.

The inference is that some drastic action in regard to the Federal league and general players who have deserted organized baseball will be recommended.

Charles Doolin, former player-manager of the Philadelphia Nationals, was seen here today. He said that he had given 10 days notice to President Bassett of Philadelphia in order to abort his contract with the Philadelphia club. He had not, he said, made any arrangements as to where he would play next season and denied that he had been negotiating with the Federal league.

"Wait until my 10 days notice takes effect," said he, "and then I can talk business in a business-like way."

## Braves Drop Suit for Quinn's Services Now That They Won Title

BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—The Boston National league baseball club withdrew its suit for conspiracy in the case of Pitcher Quinn in the United States district court here today. The suit was for \$25,000 and was instituted against the Federal league, the Baltimore Federal league club, James A. Hanlon, Edward Hanlon, Otto Kabe and John Pius, which is the real name of Quinn.

Counsel for the plaintiff stated in court that the Boston club realized it could be difficult to collect damages or the loss of Quinn inasmuch as without him the team had won the greatest possible honors in the baseball world.

## LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE REOPENED

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 7.—The Los Angeles stock exchange opened today, after having been closed 17 weeks ending with unemployment in all listed stocks and bonds. Business at the stock was quiet with prices firm.

## 100 BALLPLAYERS TO BE JOBLESS IN 1915

Tossers Cast Off by Feds Will  
Have Hard Time  
Getting Places

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—There will be close to 100 ballplayers without jobs before the season starts, according to a magnate with organized baseball affiliations. This was made known yesterday when it was reported that no one who has played with the Federal league will be recognized by the National league which is the National association. This followed right on the heels of the hint thrown out at the annual meeting of the Federal league, that each club would probably carry only 25 men next year.

The Federal league magnates asserted that the players to be dropped will be taken care of, but organized baseball owners chorused: "Where?"

The minor leagues at the meeting at Omaha agreed not to sign any player released by the Federal league clubs, and the American and National leagues have intimated that they will adhere to the same policy. As there is no league of any consequence affiliated with the Federal it will be either free lance ball or none at all according to the opponents of the new league.

It is recognized by baseball leagues everywhere that there are not enough ballplayers to go around but despite this the minor leagues have promised to pick up any castoffs from the Federalists.

This promise was discussed behind closed doors at the meeting Saturday, but although many solutions were offered none was accepted officially. Preliminary plans were however laid to start one or two rival minor leagues. One minor league could take care of the surplusage talent, but it was questioned whether or not cities of sufficient size could be secured to make the venture pay.

The scheme is to have the Federal league contribute a certain sum to each town in the proposed league and let the local and enthusiastic fans take care of the balance. This, of course, would put such a league on a more substantial basis than any of the minor organizations now in operation. Unless peace is declared, this will be the procedure of the Federalists, according to one of the delegates to Saturday's conference.

## Fifteen More Signed?

Even though every club in the Federal league has more players than it can use, President Gilmore reported yesterday that the league has 15 stars from organized baseball clubs signed up to next season's contracts. There is a large possibility that the names of these will be given out at once but President Gilmore said he would like to sign a few more before the list is made public.

## FOOTBALL SATURDAY FOR MOVIES; TIGERS WILL STAGE CONTEST

Indian Actor to Be Hero in  
"Flicker" Game; Public  
Is Invited

Local people will have an opportunity Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to witness the taking of moving pictures when a football game, featuring the Colorado college Tigers, will be played at Washburn field as a part of a dramatic photoplay entitled "The Greater Barrier," being produced by the Pikes Peak Film company of this city. George Gebhart, portrayed of Indian parts who has been engaged as leading man by the local company, will play halfback at the football game.

The football game will serve as an introduction to the story, which is of a half-breed Indian who, wearying the distinction between him and the white man, leaves college to go back to the old life on the reservation. The scenario was written by Merle J. Grindle, scenario editor.

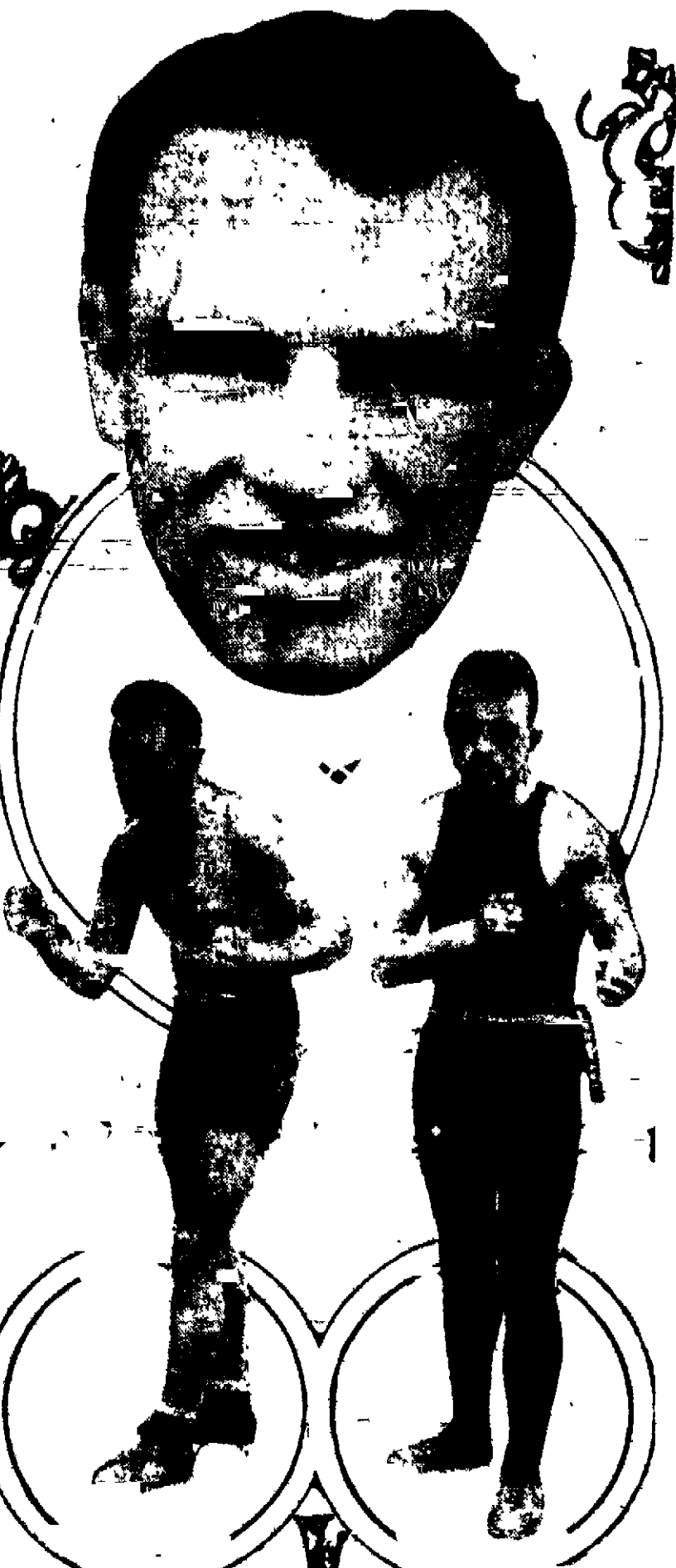
Arrangements for the football game were completed yesterday and football teams from the college will be seen in action. The event will prove interesting for the reason that many people never have witnessed the taking of moving pictures. The public is invited to watch the "movie" game.

George Gebhart, who will play the leading role—that of the half-breed Indian—in "The Greater Barrier" has played many leads with practically every one of the larger moving picture companies in the business today. He was the first leading man to play a part for the Biograph company and is well known to every movie lover in the country.

Otto B. Thayer, managing director of the Pikes Peak Film company, has returned from New York city, where he secured a contract for a two-reel western drama to be produced by the local company every week. In addition to Mr. Gebhart, Madeline West, a famous character woman, has been secured to play for the company here and the company has been augmented by several other new members whose ability has been proven.

In England the Smiths are the most numerous of all families but in Ireland they are content to rank fifth after Murphys, Kellys, Sullivans and Walshes.

## Shugrue, Who Beat Welsh, World's Champion



Joe Shugrue, the young boxer who defeated the world champion Welsh, has been knocked out by a younger man in the west. He has no favorites and in the category must come such gridiron wheel horses as Walter "Sam" Whittier and scores of others who during the autumn days ponder over the fruits of strength of this or that worker in the football vineyard. This by boxing much midnight oil is added subtracting and dividing, checking one leg up against the other and by other mysterious tactics is evolved an eleven which is labeled All Western or All American as the case might be.

All this labor has been knocked away, west and then some. The ropes themselves would not be competent to kick the light men. Professor Shugrue admits this as he has steadily refused to be drawn into any such contest. The coaches save in winter, have trouble enough to kick the better men for their own teams. In some men others, as follows:

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## THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER

THE LATEST ALIBI  
Gather round, fans. Here's a good one. Boulder lost the state championship this fall because studies interfered with the athletes, says Coach Folson. Honest gang isn't it rich? To think that some of the broad shouldered athletes at U. C. had to study as hard as they could do well at football. And then Folson passes the buck to Colorado college saying that students here are supposed to give most of their time to athletics.

You've got shandoo! Boulder. It's the newest brand of an alibi.

Christ! Matthewson writes in his graduate column that athletes make the best soldiers. Some of these westlers and boxers wouldn't feel even a 42-centimeter Geppin shell if it struck them on the head.

Highwaymen leave for east in the headline in "The home paper." Kansas you say, have called us a few hard names but seldom have they attacked our may and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in such manner.

The new yell  
Colorado!  
Colorado!  
Sooner!  
Sooner!  
Tee, hee hee!

The Thanksgiving season isn't over yet. At least we can be thankful of the fact that the press agent for a certain big game has been deprived of a source of news because the animal has been killed.

THE NEXT YEAR STUFF  
By George E. Phelan  
The melancholy days have come when coaches and and dream  
Discontinue upon the football teams that they will have next year.  
They wear a smile, but each it is a sorry tale to hear.

One of our latest penmen in the 1914 December system  
In order to be named on the star

## "Bunk," Says Stagg of Football Writers' Dope "Nobody Fit to Pick Any All-Star Elevens"

Famous Old Mentor of Chicago Maroons Says His  
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AKRON, O., Dec. 7. Joe Mandot of New Orleans, lightweight, and Johnny Kubane of Cleveland, champion featherweight, fought a 12-round, match here tonight. The bout was a clever one and, while no decision was given, the newspaper writers said it was even.

Mandot was unmarked at the end of the fight. In the first two rounds Kubane landed oftener, but in the other 10, with the possible exception of the eighth, Mandot landed as often, if not oftener, than the featherweight champion. In a clinch in the tenth round, Kubane received a bad cut over the right eye and his face was bloody until the end of the fight.

The last two rounds were very fast, but Kubane's swings often went wild. The twelfth was rough. Both men fell to the floor several times in clinches. Mandot appeared the fresher at the end of the bout.

Not once during the fight did Mandot manage to land his famous right swing, although he tried to repeatedly.

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## BOXING DIES NEXT TUESDAY WHERE IT WAS GIVEN BOOST

California, Former Mecca for  
Fighters, Now Limits  
Bouts to 4 Rounds

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Back in the early nineties, when James J. Corbett first stepped into prominence, California began to make pugilistic history and later to make the "Golden State" has been looked upon as a great center for the maintenance and encouragement of flatie sport.

Many championship battles have been fought there and followers of the fortunes of pugilism in every class from heavy to bantams, evinced unusual interest when bouts were scheduled at San Francisco, Los Angeles or any other of the many places where glove on outsiders were decided and titles claimed. Two generations of flatie champions have enjoyed the privilege afforded by the state of California and thousands of followers of the sport have been well satisfied with the results. But all this is to be changed and the nights of the glove and sweaty armpits will have to seek fresh fields outside of California.

### "Home of Fighting Men"

At the recent state election he made a California voters decided that pugilism should not be accorded as level sport thus asking a mandate for the boxes to settle their differences is a relative matter, elsewhere. At midnight of Tuesday December 15 taps will be sounded for other than amateur bouts of four rounds duration in the principal Pacific coast states and after a rather prosperous quarter of a century pugilism will be taken to a century's exile. The California promoters of this class of sport have given excellent inducements to the leading fighters of the world and as a result the best men in every class have at one time or another appeared there and several championship titles have been lost and won.

Several notable heavyweight contests have taken place in San Francisco since the memorable 61 round draw between James J. Corbett and Peter Jackson was fought in 1891. This served to bring Corbett into the limelight and within 18 months afterwards the then young clerk had annexed the heavy weight honors by defeating John Sullivan somewhat unexpectedly at New Orleans in September, 1892. The young Californiaer was not considered seriously as a possible contender by Sullivan's legion of admirers and the latter coast was cleared when Corbett brought back the championship to his native state.

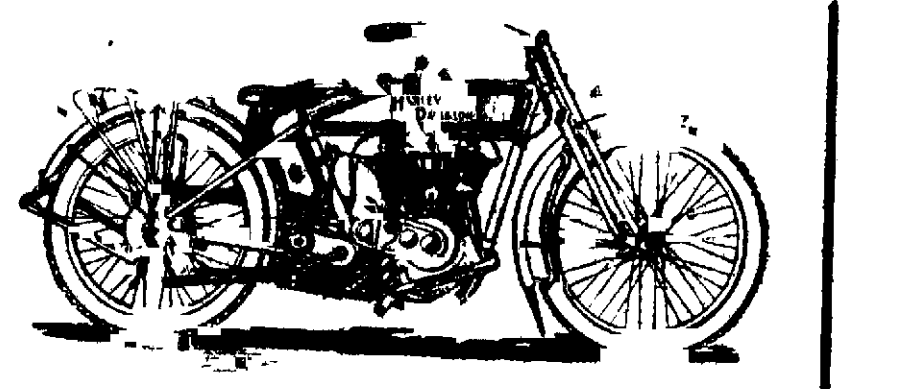
### Many Big Bouts

Among the many bouts between big men decided in San Francisco in the last 15 years the following may be mentioned. Two Jeffries knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons in eight rounds. This was in 1902 just four years after Fitzsimmons had lost the championship to the big Irishman at Coney Island in 12 rounds. Jack Munroe lasted only 10 rounds with Teddon in the following year and in 1901 Jeffries defeated him in 12 rounds. Jack O'Brien vanquished Fitzsimmons at San Francisco in 12 rounds that same year and in 1906 Tommy Burns who was the recognized successor of Jeffries defeated Martin Hart in 20 rounds. Twelve months after that Burns defeated Jack O'Brien in a 20 round bout at Los Angeles and knocked out Bill Squires in a single round at Coney Island. Two years later the Stanley Ketchel was knocked out in 10 rounds by Jack Johnson. The last of the big bouts was that between Gusman Smith and Arthur Pelica last January.

Among the lighter boxes the best lads in each division have been seen in action at San Francisco or Los Angeles during the last 10 years and the fact that no more championships will be decided in California for some years at least will be a source of regret among the host of boxing enthusiasts of the Pacific coast.

## Bender Signs for Two Years With Terrapins

BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—"Chief" Albert Bender, former pitcher for the Philadelphia Athletics, has signed a two-year contract to play with the Baltimore Federal league club, it was officially announced today.



1915 3-Speed  
Now in  
The W. I. Lucas Sporting Goods Co.  
The Christmas Gift Store.  
119 N. Tejon.  
Phone M. 900











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Thank All

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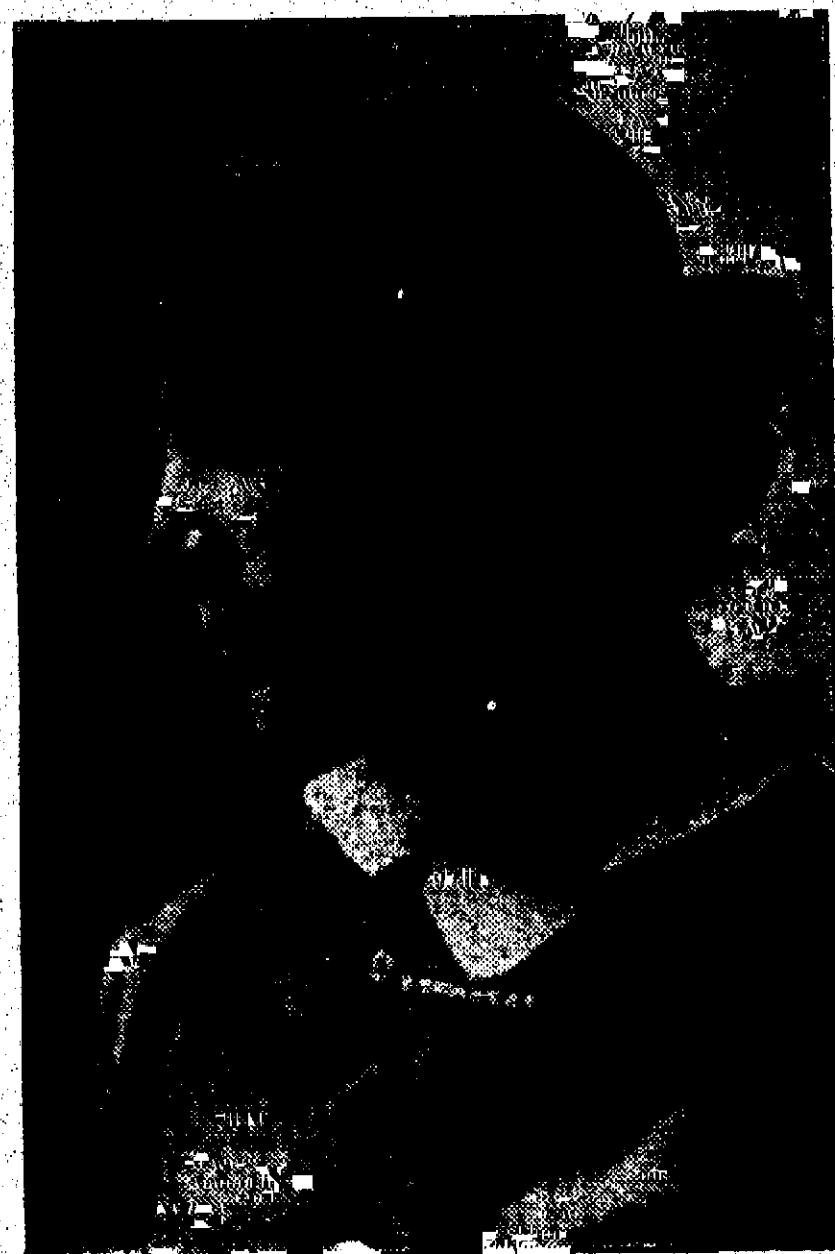
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